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JOINT-SPACING BALLOON CATHETER

Title (de)

GELENK-DISTANZ-BALLONKATHETERS

Title (fr)

CATHÉTER À BALLONNET POUR L'ESPACEMENT D'UNE ARTICULATION

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2010107949A1] A method for creating space in a joint, the method comprising: applying force to a body part so as to distract the joint and create an intrajoint space; inserting an expandable member into the intrajoint space while the expandable member is in a contracted condition; expanding the expandable member within the intrajoint space; and reducing the force applied to the body part so that the joint is supported on the expandable member.

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